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SUBJ: QUESTION OF NORAD ALERT DURING MID-EAST CRISIS

1. AT OCTOBER 26 PRESS CONFERENCE, PRESIDENT NIXON NOTED INTER ALIA THAT FORCES IN NORAD WERE NO LONGER ON ALERT IN CONNECTION WITH MID-EAST CRISIS. PRESIDENT WAS, OF COURSE, REFERRING ONLY TO U.S. FORCES COMMITTED TO CONTINENTAL DEFENSE (CONAD) WHICH AS PART OF U.S. FORCES WORLD-WIDE WERE PUT ON ALERT.

2. FOR OTTAWA - AT YOUR DISCRETION, YOU MAY DRAW ON ABOVE IN DISCUSSIONS WITH APPROPRIATE CANADIAN OFFICIALS. YOU MAY ALSO USE IT IN RESPONSE TO ANY PRESS INQUIRIES.

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